JUDGE BERMAN

'09 CW 5647

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE TASIMACILIK LTD.STI.,

Plaintiff,

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TERRAFEITA INTER-CONTINENTAL BUSINESS SA and MERAP – MATERIAS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA

Defendants.

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VERIFIED COMPLAINT

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Plaintiff, TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE
TASIMACILIK LTD.STI (hereinafter "TOLGAM"), by its attorneys, CHALOS & CO,
P.C., as and for its Verified Complaint against Defendants, TERRAFEITA INTERCONTINENTAL BUSINESS SA (hereinafter "TERRAFEITA") and MERAP –
MATERIAS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA (hereinafter "MERAP"), alleges upon
information and belief as follows:

JURISDICTION

1. The Court has subject matter jurisdiction by virtue that the underlying claim herein is an admiralty and maritime claim within the meaning of Rule 9(h) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure and within the admiralty and maritime jurisdiction of this Court under 28 U.S.C. § 1333.

THE PARTIES

- 2. At all times material hereto, Plaintiff, TOLGAM, was and still is a foreign business entity with a principal place of business in Istanbul, Turkey.
- 3. At all times material hereto, Defendant, TERRAFEITA, was and still is a foreign business entity with a principal place of business in Maia, Portugal.

4. At all times material hereto, Defendant, MERAP, was and still is a foreign business entity with a principal place of business in Benguela, Angola.

FACTS AND CLAIM

- 5. On or about April 3, 2009, TOLGAM, as disponent owners of the M/V SELCON, and TERRAFEITA, as charterers, entered into a contract of affreightment for the use of the vessel for the transportation of ten (10) cargoes of cement in sling bags from Antalya to Lobito or Namibe, in receivers' option. *Copies of the Contract of Affreightment and fixture recap are attached hereto as Exhibits "1" and "2", respectively.*
 - 6. This contract of affreightment is a maritime contract.
- 7. Pursuant to the terms of the charter agreement, TERRAFEITA agreed, among other things, to pay demurrage to TOLGAM at the rate of USD 9,500.00 per day.
- 8. The parties further agreed to the payment of freight by TERRAFEITA to TOLGAM at a rate of USD 34.00 per metric ton.
- 9. A bill of lading was issued dated May 24, 2009, naming Defendant MERAP as consignee. A copy of the Bill of Lading is attached hereto as Exhibit "3".
- 10. While loading, the vessel incurred demurrage in the amount of USD 41,569.10. A copy of the time sheet for the loading port of Antalya is attached hereto as Exhibit "4".
- 10. Despite their obligations under the contract of affreightment and the contract of carriage evidenced by the bill of lading, defendants TERRAFEITA and

MERAP have failed to pay for the demurrage accrued during loading and have failed to pay the full balance of freight due and owing to Plaintiff TOLGAM.

- 11. As a result of Defendants' failure to fulfill their obligations in accordance with the parties' agreement, TOLGAM has sustained damages for unpaid freight and unpaid demurrage in the amount of USD 195,833.74. A copy of the Final Freight Statement dated June 17, 2009 is attached hereto as Exhibit "5".
- 12. Following loading, and despite having earlier nominated Namibe as discharge port, Defendant TERRAFEITA unilaterally requested the vessel to proceed to discharge at Luanda, a port not nominated in the parties' contract.
- 13. The Vessel is presently anchored off the West African coast and it is estimated that it will remain anchored for at least thirty (30) days, while Plaintiff awaits payment from the Defendants. Detention is currently accruing at the demurrage rate of USD 9,500.00 and, as best as can be presently estimated, Plaintiff TOLGAM will suffer total losses and costs of not less than USD \$280,000.00¹ as a result of remaining anchored off the West African coast.
- 14. In summary, as a result of the Defendants' failure to fulfill their obligations under the parties' agreement, Plaintiff TOLGAM has sustained damages in the aggregate amount presently estimated to be USD 475.833.74.²
- 15. Pursuant to the terms of the charter party agreement, which are incorporated into the bill of lading, all disputes arising there under are to be submitted to arbitration with English law to apply. Plaintiff has or shortly will commence arbitration.

¹ 30 days x USD 9,500.00 = USD 285,000.00 ² USD 195,833.74 + USD 285,000.00 = USD 475,833.74.

- 16. This action is brought in order to obtain jurisdiction over Defendants and also to obtain security for Plaintiff's claims and in aid of arbitration proceedings.
- 17. English law, including but not limited to Section 63 of the English
 Arbitration Act of 1996, provides that a prevailing party is entitled to interest, costs and legal fees.
- 18. As best as can now be estimated, the Plaintiff TOLGAM expects to recover the following amounts in arbitration from Defendants TERRAFEITA and MERAP:

	Total Claim	\$ 694,657.22
D.	Estimated Arbitration costs:	\$ 50,000.00
C.	Estimated attorneys' fees:	\$ 50,000.00
B.	Estimated interest on Principal claim: 3 years at 7.5%, compounded quarterly	\$ 118,823.48
A.	Principal claim:	\$ 475,833.74

19. Therefore, TOLGAM's total claim for breach of the maritime contract against Defendants TERRAFEITA and MERAP is in the aggregate USD 694,657.22.

BASIS FOR ATTACHMENT

20. Defendants cannot be found within this district within the meaning of Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, but Defendants are believed to have or will have during the pendency of this action, certain assets, accounts, freights, monies, charter hire, credits, effects, payment for bunkers, goods or services, bills of lading, cargo and the like belonging to, claimed by, or for the benefit of, the Defendants within this District held by various parties, as garnishees, including by not limited to electronic fund transfers.

- 21. Defendants TERRAFEITA and MERAP are continuously engaged in international shipping and conducts business in U.S. Dollars. Nearly all companies engaged in the international shipping industry transact business in U.S. Dollars and therefore regularly have assets in New York City. Dollars are the *lingua franca* of international commerce.
- 22. All international U.S. dollar transfers are processed by intermediary banks in the United States, mainly in New York City. The Clearing House Interbank Payment System represents that it processes 95% of those transfers.
- and MERAP, to wit: accounts; bank accounts; monies; charter hire; credits; debts owed to the defendant; effects; payments for bunkers, cargo, goods or services; debts; unmatured debts; bills of lading; payments from the purchasers of cargoes; freight and/or hire payments to or from owners of vessels, or charterers, to, from, or for the benefit of, Defendants and/or Clearing House Interbank Payment System (CHIPS) credits or funds being transferred through intermediary banks, are located in this District in the possession of garnishees, including: ABN AMRO BANK, American Express Bank, Bank of America, Bank of China, Bank of New York, Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi UFJ Ltd., Barclay's Bank, BNP Paribas SA, Calyon, Calyon Financial, Inc., Citibank N/A, Credit Suisse Securities (USA) LLC, Deutsche Bank, HSBC (USA), JPMorgan Chase Bank, Mashreqbank, Societe Generale, Standard Chartered Bank, UBS AG, U.S. Bank, Wachovia Bank, and Wells Fargo Bank.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff prays:

- A. That process in due form of law issue against the Defendants, citing them to appear and answer under oath all, and singular, the matters alleged in the Verified Complaint;
- B. That since the Defendants cannot be found within the District, as set forth in the Declaration of George M. Chalos (a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "6"), and pursuant to Rule B and Rule E of the Supplemental Rules of Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims, this Court issue an Order directing the Clerk of Court to issue Process of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment pursuant to Rule B and Rule E of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims, attaching all of the Defendants' tangible or intangible property or any other funds held by any garnishees in the district which are due and owing, or other property of, or for the benefit of, the Defendants, up to the amount of USD 694,657.22 to secure and satisfy the Plaintiff's claims, and that all persons claiming any interest in the same be cited to appear and pursuant to Supplemental Admiralty Rule B and Rule E answer the matters alleged in the Complaint;
- C. That Plaintiff may have such other, further and different relief as may be just and proper.

Dated: Oyster Bay, New York June 19, 2009

> CHALOS & CO, P.C. Attorneys for Plaintiff TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE

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36) Company Name: Terrafeita Inter-Continental Business S.A.

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Telephone Number: +351 229 965 779

Fax Number: +351 229 967 147

Email: comercial@terrateita.pt

Vat Number: 507463609

Banking Details:

Bank Name: FORTIS BANK - SUCURBAL EM PORTUGAL Bank Address: Rua Alexandre Hercidano nº 50 - 6º andar 1260 - 011 LISBOA Account Name: Terrafeita Inter-Continental Business S.A.

Account Number: 4558574102 (USD)

IBAN: PT50 0029 0002 04558574:02 43 (USD)

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Sent: Friday, April 03, 2009 10:33 PM

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Payment as per our clause 5 for the freigth payment

Regards

Marvel

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From: Comercial_Terrafeita [mailto:comercial@terrafeita.pt]

Sent: Friday, April 03, 2009 8:35 PM

To: Marvel Yonetim

Cc: jpaulo@terrafeita.pt; goksel.aybek@ascimento.com.tr; ugur_akkurt@yahoo.com

Subject: FW: contract

Dear Marvel,

Please check the final changes (in yellow) sent bellow.

Thank you very much.

Best Regards.

Christina Rocha

Terrafeita Inter-Continental Business S.A. Rua Barao S. Januario, NT33/ 54 4470-473 Maia | Portugal

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De: Marvel Yonetim [mailto:yonetim@marvel.com.tr]
Enviada: sexta-feira, 3 de Abril de 2009 17:32
Para: comercial@terrafeita.pt; ugur_akkurt@yahoo.com; akkurtugur@gmail.com; goksel.aybek@ascimento.com.tr
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BILL OF LADING

TO BE USED WITH CHARTER-PARTIES

Reference No

ORIGINAL

B/L No 1

CODE NAME "CONGENBILL" EDITION 1994

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Shipper

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Consignae

MERAP - MATERIAIS DE CONSTRUCÃO, LDA. RUA SACADURA CABRAL, 74 BENGUELA - ANGOLA VAT NUMBER: 5417054194

Notify address

MERAP - MATERIAIS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA. RUA SACADURA CABRAL, 76 BENGUELA · ANGOLA

Vessel

M/V SELCON

Port of loading ANTALYA TURKEY

Port of discharge ONE ANGOLA PORT

VAT NUMBER: 5417054194

Shipper's description of goods

Number of Pieces

9263 SUING BAGS

Nett Weight 13 894,500 MT Gross weight 13 974 254 MT

9.263 SHING BAGS CONTAINING 1 MRD KG BACH OF CEMENT TYPE CEM II 42.5 R. CONFORMING TO IS EN

197-1:2000 277.890 PIECES OF CRAFT PAPER

MANUFACTURER "ASCIMENTO SAN VE TIC.A.S.

ICERIOVAALAN MPVKH BUCAK BURDUR-TURKLY

- CLEAN ON BOARD

- PREIGHT PAYABLE AS PER CHARTER PARTY

(of which NONE on deck at shipper's risk, the Carrier not being responsible for loss or damage howspever arising)

Freight payable as per CHARTER-PARTY dated

FREIGHT ADVANCE

Received on account of freight

SHIPPED at the port of loading in apparent good order and

Condition on board the vessel for carriage to the Port of Discharge or so near thereto as she may safety get the

goods specified above

Weight, measure, quality, quantitiy, condition, contents and

value unknown

IN WITNESS whereof the Master or agent of the said Vessel has signed the number of Bills of Lading indicated below all of this tenor and date any one of which being accomplished the others

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FOR CONDITIONS OF CARRIAGE SEE OVERLEAF

Time used for loading

days

hours

Place and date issue

AS PER CHARTER PARTY

ANTALYA, 24 MAY 2009

Number of orginal Bs/L

Freight payable at

Signature

3/THREE

KARDEN SHIPPING AGENCY TRADING INC CO. ON BEHALF OF MASELCON

Wing agency

17/06/09

TIME SHEET

VESSEL: SELCON

LAYTIME: [25/05/09] 50/09 ,ANTALYA /ANGOLA , C/P DATE: 25/05/09

CALCULATION TYPE: Non-Reversible

PORT: [1] ANTALYA Loading

Vessel Arrival: 16/05/09 04:00 Sat Clause to Apply: FRI 12/SUN 08

NOR tendered: 16/05/09 04:00 Sat

Time to count

commenced: 16/05/09 14:00 Sat **completed**: 24/05/09 03:00 Sun

<u>Date</u> <u>Day</u>	From	<u>Until</u>	Event	Count La	ytime To	otal L/T
16/05/09 Sat	14:00	24:00	Time to count	1/ 1	10:00	00:10:00
17/05/09 Sun	00:00	08:00	Weekend	0/ 1	00:00	00:10:00
	08:00	24:00	Time to count	1/ 1	16:00	01:02:00
18/05/09 Mon	00:00	15:50	Time to count	1/ 1	15:50	01:17:50
	15:50	16:45	BERTHING	0/ 1	00:00	01:17:50
	16:45	24:00	Time to count	1/1	07:15	02:01:05
19/05/09 Tue	00:00	17:59	Time to count	1/ 1	17:59	02:19:04
		17:59	VESSEL ON DEMURRAGE			
	17:59	24:00	Time to count	1/1	06:01	03:01:05
20/05/09 Wed	00:00	24:00	Time to count	1/ 1	24:00	04:01:05
21/05/09 Thu	00:00	24:00	Time to count	1/ 1	24:00	05:01:05
22/05/09 Fri	00:00	12:00	Time to count	1/ 1	12:00	05:13:05
	12:00	24:00	Weekend	1/ 1	12:00	06:01:05
23/05/09 Sat	00:00	24:00	Weekend	1/1	24:00	07:01:05
24/05/09 Sun	00:00	03:00	Weekend	1/ 1	03:00	07:04:05

Time Allowed: + 02:19:04
Time Used: 07:04:05
Time Left (-Lost): - 04:09:01

DEMURRAGE AT THE RATE OF USD 9,500.00 PER DAY = USD 41,569.10

17/06/2009

Final Freight Statement

Vessel: SELCON

Charterers: TERRAFEITA

Currency: USD

Cargo Description: CEMENT

Cargo Quantity: 13,974.25 MTS

BALANCE IN OWNERS' FAVOUR	195.833,74	
TOTALS:	320.860,00	516.693,74
THE PERIOD OF CITIES	250.000,00	
ALREADY PAID BY CRTRS	250,000,00	
ALREADY PAID BY CRTRS	70.860,00	
DEMMURRAGE AT LOADING		41.569,10
FREIGHT COMMISSION (0.00%)		
FREIGHT @ USD 34.00 PER MTS		475.124,64
DESCRIPTION	DEBIT (USD)	CREDIT (USD)

JUDGE BERMAN

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

109 CW 5647

TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE TASIMACILIK LTD.STI.,

Plaintiff,

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ATTORNEY'S DECLARATION
THAT DEFENDANTS
CANNOT BE FOUND
WITHIN THE DISTRICT

TERRAFEITA INTER-CONTINENTAL BUSINESS SA, and MERAP – MATERIAS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA,

	Defendants.	
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This declaration is executed by **George M. Chalos, Esq.**, counsel for the Plaintiff,

TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE TASIMACILIK LTD.STI., in

order to secure the issuance of a Summons and Process of Maritime Attachment and

Garnishment in the above-entitled, in personam, Admiralty cause.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1746, George M. Chalos, Esq., declares under the penalty of perjury:

I am a Member of the firm of CHALOS & CO, P.C., attorneys for Plaintiff in the above referenced matter.

I am familiar with the circumstances of the Verified Complaint, and I submit this declaration in support of Plaintiff's request for the issuance of Process of Maritime Attachment and Garnishment of the property of the defendants, TERRAFEITA INTER-CONTINENTAL BUSINESS SA, and MERAP – MATERIAS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA, pursuant to Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

I have personally inquired or have directed inquiries into the presence of the defendants in this District.

I have personally checked with the office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York, using the Secretary of State's Division of Corporations database, and I have determined that, as of June 19, 2009, the defendants have not incorporated pursuant to the laws of New York, and have not nominated any agent for the service of process within the Southern District of New York.

I have inquired of Verizon Telephone Company whether the defendants can be located within this District. The Verizon Telephone Company has advised me that the defendants do not have any telephone number listings within this District.

I have further consulted with several other telephone directories on the internet, and I have found no separate telephone listings or addresses for the defendants within this District.

I have engaged in a Google search as to whether the defendants can be located within this District. The Google search results did not provide any information that defendants are found in this District.

I am unaware of any general or managing agent(s) within this District for the defendants.

In that I have been able to determine that the defendants have not appointed an agent for service of process within the Southern District of New York and that I have found no indication that the defendants can be found within this District for the purposes of Rule B, I have formed a good faith belief that the defendants do not have sufficient contacts or business activities within this District and do not have any offices or agents within this District to defeat maritime attachment under Rule B of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty and Maritime Claims as set forth in the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

It is my belief, based upon my own investigation that the defendants cannot be found within this District for the purposes of Rule B of the Supplemental Rules of Certain Admiralty and Maritime Claims of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

Dated: Oyster Bay, New York

June 19, 2009

CHALOS & CO, P.C.

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VERIFICATION OF COMPLAINT

TERRAFEITA INTER-CONTINENTAL BUSINESS SA, and MERAP – MATERIAS DE CONSTRUCAO, LDA Defendants.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1746, GEORGE M. CHALOS, Esq., declares under the penalty of perjury:

- 1. I am a Member of the law firm of CHALOS & CO, P.C., counsel for the Plaintiff, TOLGAM ULUSLARARASI DENIZCILIK ISLETMECILIK VE TASIMACILIK LTD.STI., herein;
  - 2. I have read the foregoing Verified Complaint and know the contents thereof; and
- I believe the matters to be true based on documents and information obtained from employees and representatives of the Plaintiff through its agents, underwriters and attorneys.
- 4. The reason that this verification was made by deponent and not by the Plaintiff is because Plaintiff is a foreign corporation, whose officers are not in this district, and whose verification cannot be obtained within the time constraints presented by the circumstances of this case.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: Oyster Bay, New York June 19, 2009

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